

LOGICAL FRAME FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF TRAINING MATERIALS FOR THE MASTER OF RESEARCH METHODOLOGY PROGRAM

Narrative summary	Objectively verifiable Indicators	Means of verification	Important Assumptions
Goal: To improve the quality of research in the ECSA region for development .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research funding, projects, outputs and publications. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project publications Program records N^o of projects funded N^o of Publications N^o of students graduated N^o of Graduates employed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved quality of research in the ECSA region for development and research remain high RUFORUM priority Funds will be available Countries and partners maintain interest in MRM Donor support can be sustained
Overall Objective: To operationalise the regional Masters in Research Methodology for its smooth running so that it can meet its intended goal.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MRM programme launched and running by Feb 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Program records Workshop reports Training course reports Registered students in the institution Teaching timetable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds available in time Staff are available and willing to participate There shall be no industrial dispute
Objective 1: To institute a steering committee to manage the operationalisation of the programme.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information on the current situation and readiness to run the programme Staff in various institutions contacted Database of human resource in place 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Database of available human resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff will be accessible, available and willing to participate Funds available in time
Objective 2: To identify resource people in the region to handle the prescribed courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resource people in place by October, 2008 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> N^o of applications approved 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff will be accessible, available and willing to participate Call for applications done on time
Objective 3: To orient the teaching staff to the modular approach of delivery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshop conducted by November 2008 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workshop report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trainers, Trainees and facilities are available for the workshop
Objective 4: To develop the modules for the prescribed courses and avail them online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refined Modules and Teaching schedule in place by November 2008 Modules prepared by January, 2009. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Documentation Refined course information booklet University calendar 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resource persons flexible Continued interest by institutions to run MRM course

